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# BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Ex parte: JUNG-KWON HEO

Application No. 09/960,504 Technology Center 3600

Mailed: December 1, 2008

Before KRISTA ZELE Deputy Chief Appeals Administrator ZELE, Deputy Chief Appeals Administrator.

#### ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was electronically received by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on July 15, 2008. A review of the application revealed that it is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the Examiner to address the following matters requiring attention prior to docketing.

### EXAMINER'S CONSIDERATION OF REPLY BRIEF

A Reply Brief was filed in this application on March 13, 2007. There is no evidence on the record indicating that the Examiner has considered the Reply Brief in accordance with 37 CFR CFR § 41.43(a)(1) and MPEP § 1208, part II.

### CONCLUSION

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the Examiner to:

 $1)\ consider\ the\ Reply\ Brief\ filed\ March\ 13,\ 2007\ as\ indicated\ above;$ 

and

2) for such further action as may be appropriate.

If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797.

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